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DRAFT AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This draft amendment is provided in order to facilitate placing the case in a condition suitable for allowance.

IN THE CLAIMS:

The claims have been rewritten, renumbered, and reordered at the Examiner's request to facilitate completion of the reopened examination.

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